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## POSSIBLE MOTIVE FOR THE PRISON OUTRAGE.

ASSAILANT AN OLD  
OFFENDER.

BEING EXAMINED PRIOR TO  
A WHIPPING.

VICTIM'S CONDITION.

A possible motive for the murderous attack on Acting Principal Warden Plumb at Victoria Gaol (exclusively reported in the *Telegraph* yesterday) is provided in an official report of the incident, revealing that the convict assailant had been punished for breaches of discipline recently and was about to be examined regarding his fitness to receive a whipping.

The duty of inflicting the whipping would probably have fallen to A.P.W. Plumb, who is the public hangman in addition to his ordinary prison duties.

The victim's condition is grave, though the fact that he walked from the scene of the outrage to the Prison Hospital gave a first impression that his injuries were not very serious.

### The Official Report.

The official report, made yesterday and released this morning to the Press, states:

"At 10.15 a.m. while Acting Principal Warden No. 63 Bert Plumb was mustering 26 prisoners for sick parade and punishment parade, in the main hall at Victoria Gaol, Prisoner No. 1614 Chui Sui-chung who had fallen in for medical inspection as to his fitness for receiving a whipping, drew a file dagger and stabbed him from behind: once in the back behind the left shoulder blade, and once in the right shoulder near the collar bone."

"Acting Principal Warden Plumb went direct to the Gaol Hospital from where he was removed to the Government Civil Hospital."

"Prisoner No. 1614 returned to his cell, No. 34 in F. 2 Ward, near by, where he was found by A.P.P.O. Cressey immediately after the concurrence. On opening the cell, A.P.P.O. Cressey was handed the file dagger by the prisoner, who had been confined to his cell as a punishment for breaches of prison discipline since the 15th instant."

"The Medical Officer in charge of the Government Civil Hospital reports the condition of Acting Principal Warden Plumb as very serious."

### "Holding His Own."

Since then, Acting Principal Warden Plumb, who is suffering from extensive internal hemorrhage, is reported from the Hospital as "holding his own." His condition has taken a slight turn for the better, although it was indicated this morning it has not progressed beyond the critical stage.

In what way the convict who made the murderous attack on Warden Plumb had managed to obtain the weapon and conceal it about him is now the subject of official investigation. The instrument had been fashioned from a scraping file, said to be similar to those used in the prison workshops.

### Man to Be Charged.

It is indicated as likely that the man will be produced before the Magistrate on a charge of inflicting grievous bodily harm on Acting Principal Warden Plumb. This, of course, is contingent on the officer's recovery.

Warden Plumb's bed-side depositions were taken at the G.C.H. by Mr. Lindsell yesterday.

In the afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock, Mr. L. H. V. Booth, First Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence, appeared before Mr. Lindsell, then engaged in hearing an embezzlement case at the Central Magistracy, and said that Warden Plumb was in a serious condition in Hospital. "I have just been notified," said Mr. Booth, "that we may not have another opportunity of taking his depositions if your Worship will not take them now."

## BRITISH POLICY IN PALESTINE.

AMERICAN PASTOR LEADS  
PROTEST MEETING.

NEWSPAPERS CALMER.

New York, Oct. 22.

Every reference to the British Empire and to the British Labour Government was greeted with boos and catcalls at a noisy meeting of protest against the British Government's statement of policy regarding Palestine, fully outlined two days ago.

The principal speaker was Dr. John Haynes Holmes, the Pastor of Community Church, New York, who is well-known for his anti-British writing and sermons, and who is known to be closely associated with Indian extremists in the United States.

It is significant that he aroused enthusiasm when he urged the Arabs of Palestine to follow Gandhi's example and to follow a campaign of passive resistance against the British.

The *New York Times*, whose owner is the pillar of American Jewry, has adopted a sympathetic tone towards Great Britain in connection with its statement of policy. The journal asserts that the claims of British Zionism were always inadmissible and justice could never tolerate the imposition of Jewish ascendancy in Palestine by high pressure methods.

The *Herald-Tribune* says that Britain is now reaping an unpleasant harvest of her over-generous promises during the war.

## RATIFYING NAVAL TREATY.

BROADCAST SPEECHES FOR  
NEXT MONDAY.

London, Oct. 22.

It is understood that ratification in respect of the London Naval Treaty will be deposited at the Foreign Office next Monday by representatives of all His Majesty's Governments, with the exception of the Irish Free State, whose ratification may be delayed slightly by technical difficulties, and of the United States and the Japanese Government.

In the afternoon, President Hoover, Mr. Hamaguchi (Prime Minister of Japan) and Mr. Ramsay MacDonald will broadcast speeches on the Naval Treaty, which it is hoped will be audible in all three countries.

## U.S. POLICY IN BRAZIL ROUSES COMMENT.

TRADE BELIEVED TO BE  
MAIN INFLUENCE.

Washington, Oct. 22.

At the request of the Brazilian Government, President Hoover has placed an embargo on the shipment of war munitions and equipment to Brazil, except under special licence to be issued by the State Department.

The United States' policy in reference to Brazil, still in the throes of civil war, is being very closely followed by Latin-American countries, where it is believed that the United States is making a definite bid for the Brazilian trade in competition with Great Britain.

## OPIUM SMUGGLERS CAUGHT.

TWO ARRESTS ON TRAIN  
FROM CANTON.

A fine of \$3,150, or, in default, nine months' imprisonment, was imposed by Mr. Butters, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, on a Chinese, charged by Detective Sergeant Kellett, with possession of 104 taels of raw opium.

The man was arrested after he had alighted from the Canton train last night, and the opium was found tied round his legs.

Another Chinese, who came by the same train, was also charged with possession of 40 taels of raw opium. He was fined \$1,200, or six months' imprisonment.

## EMPIRE ECONOMIC PROBLEMS.

SOUTH AFRICAN HINTS  
AT FAILURE.

REVOLUTION EXPECTED OF  
BRITAIN.

DIFFICULTIES SEEN.

London, Oct. 22.

The South African Premier, General Hertzog, broadcasting to-night on the work of the Imperial Conference said that although the work being done in the field of economic co-operation was attracting much notice, other work of the very greatest importance and significance was also being accomplished and the problems resolved.

The Constitutional questions bequeathed by the 1926 Imperial Conference were being dealt with in a manner and a spirit which entitled the delegates to feel confident that the present Imperial Conference would, in every respect, remain true to the spirit of its predecessor and attain a no less happy result for the future.

Fiscal Policies.

Whereas at the previous Conference the constitutional needs of the Commonwealth demanded a readjustment of the constitutional principle to the constitutional development, at the present Conference it was a readjustment of the economic basis of Great Britain's fiscal policy in harmony with the economic needs of the various Member States, herself included, that was involved.

The new problem was certainly no less difficult of solution.

If, therefore, the present Conference should eventually prove less fruitful in its economic labours than individual requirements had led them to hope, it should not be forgotten that what was expected from Great Britain in order to meet the Dominion requirements, and also her own, was hardly less than a revolution in fiscal practice, no less than in economic theory.

No Complaints.

Should she, therefore, tell them that a change involving such fundamental national issues could not be decided till after close and mature consideration, South Africa would have no reason to complain.

While it must be clear to everybody that once more the conflict between Free Trade and Protection for Great Britain had to be decided, and that upon the decision taken must to a large extent depend the economic policy which in future would obtain within the Commonwealth, they in the Dominions, whatever that decision might be, and however much they might thereby eventually feel themselves disappointed, would have no ground to quarrel with anybody.

Committee Work.

Many of the numerous subjects on the agenda of the Imperial Conference are now being dealt with by Committees formed to examine them in detail. The next meeting of the heads of the delegations will be held when reports are available for their consideration and this is unlikely to be the case before next week.

To-day, the Committee on economic co-operation had a general preliminary discussion on the work of the Empire Marketing Board with a view to making suggestions regarding its future development. A Sub-Committee is engaged on an examination of statistics regarding the United Kingdom's wheat consumption and wheat production within the Empire.

The Arbitration and Disarmament Committee has concluded its discussion of the general Act, and although discussion of the actual draft convention remains to be concluded, the Committee hopes to finish the subjects before it by the week-end and to begin the preparation of its report.

The Committee on overseas settlement held its first sitting.

## A NEW SOLICITOR GENERAL.

LORD PARMOUR'S YOUNGER  
SON APPOINTED.

NOT IN PARLIAMENT.

London, Oct. 22.

The Hon. Richard Stafford Cripps, K.C., youngest son of Lord Parmoor, the Labour Peer, has been appointed Solicitor-General in succession to Sir John Melville, K.C. who recently tendered his resignation owing to ill-health.

The appointment is more than usually interesting because the Hon. R. S. Cripps is not a Member of Parliament. He was educated at Winchester and University College, London, being called to the Bar at the Middle Temple in 1913.

During the War he was Assistant Superintendent of H. M. Factory, Queen's Ferry.

For some years he has acted as Hon. Treasurer of the World Alliance for Promoting International Friendship through the Churches, while he edited Cripps on Church and Clergy.

He became King's Counsel three years ago.

Sir James Melville, the retiring Minister, is at present on a sea voyage on medical advice.

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## THE ALSDORF MINE DISASTER.

DEATH-ROLL EXPECTED TO  
EXCEED 250.

Berlin, Oct. 22.

Two hundred and thirty five bodies have now been recovered from the Wilhelm Mine at Alsdorf. Twenty-one miners are still missing and it is feared that they are dead.

The worst effects of the explosion were experienced in the lowest workings, fifteen hundred feet underground, where 89 were killed. Members of the industrial council, meeting in a room at the pithead at the time of the disaster, were all killed.

Later.

The latest figure of those seriously injured in the Alsdorf mine is 98.

Rescuers found the dynamite stores intact, and indications now suggest that the explosion occurred in the pit itself. Many of the dead were gassed or drowned, owing to the ventilating plant being put out of action by the concussion.

## PREMIER REFUSES TO BE BULLIED.

HERR BRAUN'S RETORT TO  
HITLER DEMAND.

Berlin, Oct. 22.

Herr Braun, the Prussian Prime Minister, has answered Hitler's demand that he sweep the Prussian Government free of Socialism, by appointing Dr. Severing as Minister of the Interior.

Dr. Severing is not only a Socialist but a strong defender of the Republic and it is expected that he will give short shrift to troublesome Nazis (Fascists) or Communists.

## CHIANG KAI-SHEK IN SHANGHAI.

PLANNING TO VISIT HIS  
NATIVE VILLAGE.

Shanghai, Oct. 22.

President and Madame Chiang Kai-shek arrived in Shanghai this morning. It is understood that Marshal Chiang is planning a visit to Fenghua, his native place, for a brief rest.

FAIR WEATHER.

The Royal Observatory reports that an anticyclone is central over North Japan. Pressure is relatively low in the extreme south. The local forecast is:—East winds, moderate, fair.

## PARLEY FAILURE FEARED.

MOSCOW CONFERENCE  
DEADLOCK.

SOVIET INSISTING ON THE  
KHARBAROVSK PACT.

RUSSIA BLAMED.

Shanghai, Oct. 22.

Fears of a complete breakdown of the Sino-Soviet Conference at Moscow, consequent on the Soviet insistence on discussing outstanding problems, apart from the settlement of the C.E.R. entanglement, are entertained by Nanking Government circles following the receipt of a telegram from General Mo Teh-hui, the chief Chinese delegate, suggesting that he should return to China.

In his telegram, General Mo says that he believes a deadlock is inevitable on account of the Soviet attitude to act according to the strict terms of the Kharbarovsk Protocol, which he finds it very difficult to comply with. The Chinese delegate states that it will be wise for the Chinese representatives to return to China instead of wasting their time any further.

Soviet Blamed.

Nanking circles say that the breakdown of the negotiations will be attributable to the Soviet's lack of sincerity.

That the Chinese delegates are tired of the monotony of aimless discussions at the so-called preliminary meetings in evidence by the fact that General Mo and some of his Chinese assistants are known to be visiting Leningrad.

Hunan Government.

The Nanking Government has announced the intention to effect a thorough reorganisation of the Hunan Provincial Government, following the arrest and dismissal of General Ho Chien, the chairman of Hunan Provincial Government since April, 1929. The arrest of General Ho Chien has evoked considerable comment in North China newspapers, being cited as showing how public opinion can effect the removal of the highest official in a Province.

With a continued retreat of the Shansi forces into southern Shansi, the Hunan warfronts are experiencing a complete lull, apart from the fact that Northern Hunan has been occupied by General Shih-Yu-shan. General Shih's suggestion to form an alliance with the Manchurian Government has, more or less, been confirmed by a report that he is shortly to visit Mukden to interview General Chang Hsueh-liang, head of the Manchurian Government.

Kalgan Occupied.

The Shansi forces at Kalgan, the leading city in western Chihli Province near the Shansi frontier, have been evacuated by the army under Marshal Yen Hsi-shan. The Kalgan Chinese Chamber of Commerce has formed a Public Safety Committee for the preservation of order in the city. The Manchurian Army expects to enter the city some time to-morrow.

The 1st, 2nd, 4th, 6th and 7th, Shansi armies are retreating to Southern Shansi.

Railway Chief Resigns.

The Chief Superintendent of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway has tendered his resignation to the Nanking Government, stressing the necessity for the integrity of control of the Railway.

In this connexion, the Ministry of Railways has sent a second telegram to General Chang Hsueh-liang pointing out to the Manchurian ruler the necessity of abolishing the branch office of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway at Tientsin so as to permit the Nanking Government to have complete control. So far, the Manchurian Government has taken no official step towards the closing down of the Tientsin office.

## INQUIRY INTO LOSS OF THE R.101.

SIR JOHN SIMON ACCEPTS  
DIFFICULT TASK.

TWO ASSESSORS TO SIT.

London, Oct. 22.

It was announced from No. 10, Downing Street to-night that it is the desire of the Government and the Air Ministry that the enquiry into the loss of the British dirigible, R-101, should be a public inquiry carried out by an independent Court with full powers to take evidence on oath.

The Government have accordingly approached Sir John Simon, K.C., of Indian Statutory Commission fame, and he has consented to conduct the investigation.

In addition, Colonel Moore Brabazon, who used to sit in the House of Commons as Conservative Member for the Chatham Division of Rochester, losing his seat to Mr. F. Markham (Labour) at the 1929 election who was one of the first Englishmen to fly, and who always took a great interest in air matters, being the pioneer of aerial photography in Britain, will sit with Sir John Simon as one of two Assessors.

The other member of the Court will be Professor C. E. Inglis, Professor of Mechanism and Applied Mechanism at Cambridge University since 1919, who will also assist Sir John with practical and technical knowledge during the enquiry.

The first sitting will probably be next week and the Court may compel the production of any evidence bearing on the subject.

Reuter and British Wireless.

## HEAVY FINE ON A YOUNG WOMAN.

ARRESTED IN POSSESSION  
OF OPIUM.

Charged with being in possession of 60 taels of raw opium on the water-front yesterday, a young Chinese woman, who appeared before Mr. Lindsell at the Central Magistracy this morning, was fined \$1,000, with the alternative of three months' imprisonment.

The defendant admitted possession, but said the opium had been given to her to deliver to a woman in Hongkong. She was paid \$1 for the trouble.

Revenue Officer Grimmit informed his Worship that, when arrested, the defendant told the officers that she had been given the opium by a woman in Canton to deliver to another woman at Tai Pak Lo. Not knowing the way, the defendant had engaged a coolie to carry her crate of chickens in which was cleverly concealed the 60 taels of opium, the drug being contained in the hollow up-rights of the bamboo crate.

As a result of the information divulged by the defendant the officers went to Tai Pak Lo and found that the occupants had absconded, there having apparently been another person with the defendant who had instantly warned the would-be-receivers of her arrest.

## MR. MAZE ARRIVES IN HONGKONG.

TO TAKE UP SMUGGLING  
QUESTION.

Mr. F. W. Maze, the Inspector General of the Chinese Maritime Customs, arrived in the Colony this morning by the Empress of Canada.

According to current reports his visit is for the purpose of resuming negotiations with the Hongkong Government regarding the establishment of Maritime Customs stations to check smuggling from the British Colony into Chinese territory.

The Kuo Min News Agency says that if a satisfactory arrangement can be made, the illicit traffic from Hongkong to Canton and other Kwangtung ports, which has developed enormous proportions since the introduction of the new tariffs last year, will be eliminated at the source, thereby securing a considerable increase in the legitimate Customs revenue for the southern ports.

Mr. Maze, was met on arrival by the Customs Commissioner for the Kowloon District. He is to stay here for two or three days and then proceed to Canton.

## CHINA'S DEFAULT IN LOAN OBLIGATIONS.

CREDITORS' MEETING  
TO BE HELD.

INTERESTING STATEMENT  
BY PRESIDENT.

FINANCIAL REFORMS.

A lengthy statement issued to the Press by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, expressing the belief that China has fought her last civil war, and outlining the major tasks to be tackled immediately by the National Government, including the rehabilitation of the national currency and finances and the establishment of a budget system, has been followed by an announcement that a meeting of all creditors of the Chinese Government is to be held on November 15.

Such a creditors' meeting was originally planned for the first of October but it could not be held because of the civil war situation in China.

Mr. T. V. Soong, the Minister of Finance has now called a meeting, through the foreign Ministers to China whose nationals hold Chinese bonds, asking the Ministers to send representatives to Nanking on November 15. It will be their purpose, says Mr. Soong, to discuss China's defaulted obligations.

No Plan Yet.

The plan of the Nationalist Government to meet these obligations has not yet been disclosed. The government was warned last week by Mr. Soong, however, that it was necessary to retrench expenses in order to balance the budget and repay foreign loans. This has led to the impression that the government is contemplating extensive refunding operations.

The exact sum which the Chinese government has defaulted to foreign creditors is unknown but it amounts to a large figure which has extended over a period of more than ten years. The largest portion includes British, American and Japanese loans which were advanced to China before, during and following the European war.

Urgent Problems.

President Chiang Kai-shek's statement to the Press began with a declaration that his chief mission now was the consolidation of national unity. The most urgent problems to be faced were the suppression of communism and banditry, the rehabilitation of finances, the creation of an efficient and honest administration, industrial development, and the development of national and local autonomy, thus paving the way for true democracy.

He said that the government, in seeking to consolidate unity and preserve peace, desired the people to assume a greater interest in the nation's affairs, changing their apathy to constructive criticism. He promised that all views not contrary to the Kuomintang party platform, as outlined by the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen, would receive consideration from and be acted upon by the government.

Attack on Militarists.

Chiang asked for the nation's collective effort in maintaining unity and peace and in achieving reconstruction.

But any effort on the part of any particular faction to resort to force to maintain its views would not be tolerated.

"A threat of force on the part of any faction or militarist to back up any proposals will not be countenanced," he said. The Nationalist government's entire resources will be thrown against any leader or faction threatening to disrupt national unity by force. Only through the peoples' co-operation in upholding law and discipline may peace be preserved.

Discussing imminent post-war problems, the generalissimo said, "Our campaign against banditry and communism has already begun. It is to be expected that within six months the objective will be achieved."

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RANSOM FOR FOURTEEN  
MISSIONARIES.

Peking, Oct. 22.

It is now learned that the Com-  
munist bandits at Kianfu have  
made the biggest haul of  
foreigners since the famous Lin-  
cheng outrage.

The Bishop and a priest who  
arrived in Kiukiang, via Chang-  
sha, were released in order that  
they might bring a demand for  
ransom in the sum of \$10,000,000  
for the release of the four foreign  
priests, five foreign and five  
Chinese nuns.

Captives Identified.

Peking, later.

Father Von Arx is reported to  
have been killed. The other cap-  
tives include Father Thieltry  
(French), Fathers Barbato,  
Capozzi and Perino (Italians), one  
Italian, one Filipino and four  
French nuns, but as the Com-  
munists are demanding ransom  
for five foreign nuns instead of six  
it is possible that one may have  
been taken for Chinese by her  
captors.

The names of four of the captive  
nuns are Sister Lamichant, Sister  
Merle, Sister Ramos and Sister  
Rognoni.

The American Consul at Han-  
kow is making representations to  
the authorities to obtain the re-  
lease of the Filipino nun.

Bishop Mignani and the priest  
who brought the letter containing  
the terms outlined by the Com-  
munists, state that there was con-  
siderable looting in Kianfu, on the  
14th inst., but no considerable  
destruction of property. The Com-  
munist leaders Chu, Mao and Peng  
are there in person.

After leaving Kianfu the Bishop  
and priest had to proceed to Ki-  
ukiang, by way of Changsha. They  
were arrested several times en  
route by "Red" bands, but allow-  
ed to proceed on producing the  
papers from the Communist leaders,  
thus showing co-operation between  
the different "Red" armies.—  
Reuter.

Later Details.

Shanghai, Oct. 22.

It is learned that the five foreign  
sisters of charity are being kept  
in a "Bolshevik" hospital four  
miles outside Kianfu, while five  
Chinese nuns taken prisoner simul-  
taneously, are detained in Kianfu  
city.

Hitherto no mission buildings  
have been destroyed, but in-  
flammables are ready in the most  
imposing seminary premises.

It appears that Father Von Arx  
is a fifty-one-year-old Swiss. He  
is reported to have been executed  
in Pengtze city, on the south  
bank of the Yangtszekiang, seventy  
miles below Kiukiang. Pengtze  
was recently captured by "Reds,"  
and reliable reports state that the  
National troops refuse to fight the  
Communists. These National troops  
are posting up proclamations de-  
claring, "Soldiers don't fight  
soldiers".—Reuter.

**CORRESPONDENCE.**

Letter of Thanks.

[To The Editor of Hongkong  
Telegraph.]

Sir,—By your courtesy, I want  
to thank the members of the  
V.D.M.A. St. Peter's Church  
Branch, and all those ladies and  
gentlemen who so kindly donated  
money and lent cars, for their cor-  
roborated kindness in giving our  
girls that fine outing to Shek O, on  
Saturday Oct. 4th.

After a cold day, the Lord our  
Heavenly Father gave us a lovely  
day with sunshine so that the girls  
enjoyed themselves very much, and  
had a great time. Even though  
they cannot see all the beauty round  
them they do feel it in their hearts.

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**MR. JOWETT'S PERIOD  
IN SOVIET HANDS.**

NOT ILL-TREATED BUT HAD  
LITTLE TO EAT.

Peking, Oct. 22.

Young Mr. Christopher Jowett,  
the 18-year-old nephew of the Rt.  
Hon. F. W. Jowett, who had been  
in the hands of the Soviet authori-  
ties at Chita since September  
25 but crossed the frontier and  
reached Harbin safely the other  
day, arrived here this morning.

In an interview with Reuter's  
correspondent he emphasised that  
he suffered no actual ill-treat-  
ment, only discomforts due to the  
present food shortage and other  
inconveniences of present day  
Russia.

A feature of the case was the  
long delay before his release.

When he was arrested owing to  
having lost his passport, he was  
taken under an armed guard back  
to Chita. The police stated that  
he would be released in five days,  
yet it was twenty-four days before  
he left Chita.

The first night at Chita, he was  
put into a bare room with six or  
seven troops. Afterwards he  
was placed in a rented room in a  
small state-owned house, which  
was bare and not free from ver-  
min. He had food tickets, but  
found the food scarce, and lived  
mainly on black bread, tea and cab-  
bage.

Attempts were made to send  
him money, but none arrived un-  
til the day he was leaving, hence  
even when food was available he  
could not afford much. It was  
but seldom that meat or fish were  
available. The necessary docu-  
ments reached the frontier on  
October 9, but the Chita authori-  
ties then would not allow him to  
depart without a Russian visa,  
hence there was a further ten  
days' delay.—Reuter.

**ECLIPSE OF THE SUN.**

EXPEDITIONS MEET WITH  
GRATIFYING SUCCESS.

New York, Oct. 22.

A message from Niuafof says  
that the week's preparations of  
the astronomical expeditions were  
rewarded by favourable weather  
for yesterday's total eclipse of the  
sun.

The American expedition took  
forty-one successful photographs.

The New Zealand party's observa-  
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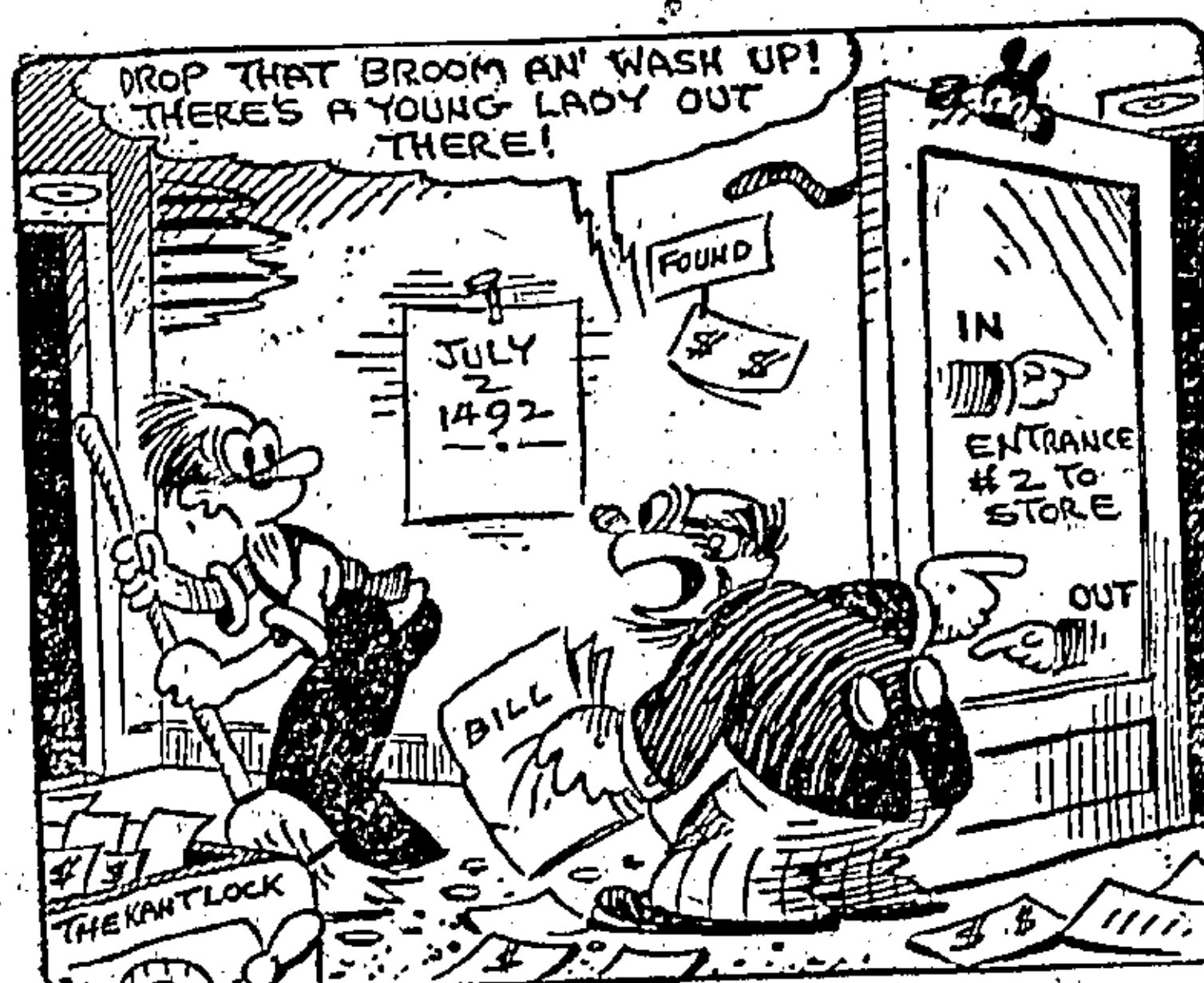


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Ralph A. Horr, running as a wet who defeated the dry for the Rep. nomination for Congress from Washington.



The 20th anniversary of the Republic of Portugal was celebrated in Shanghai by a reception at the Portuguese Consulate given by Mr. Francisco de Paula Brito, Consul-General. The local Consular Body, Chinese Government officers of the defence units of the port were present at the function.



A pretty marriage was solemnized at St. Joseph's Church, Shanghai, when Miss Mary Clifford of New York, became the bride of Mr. Torsten A. Avellan-Hultman, of Stockholm.



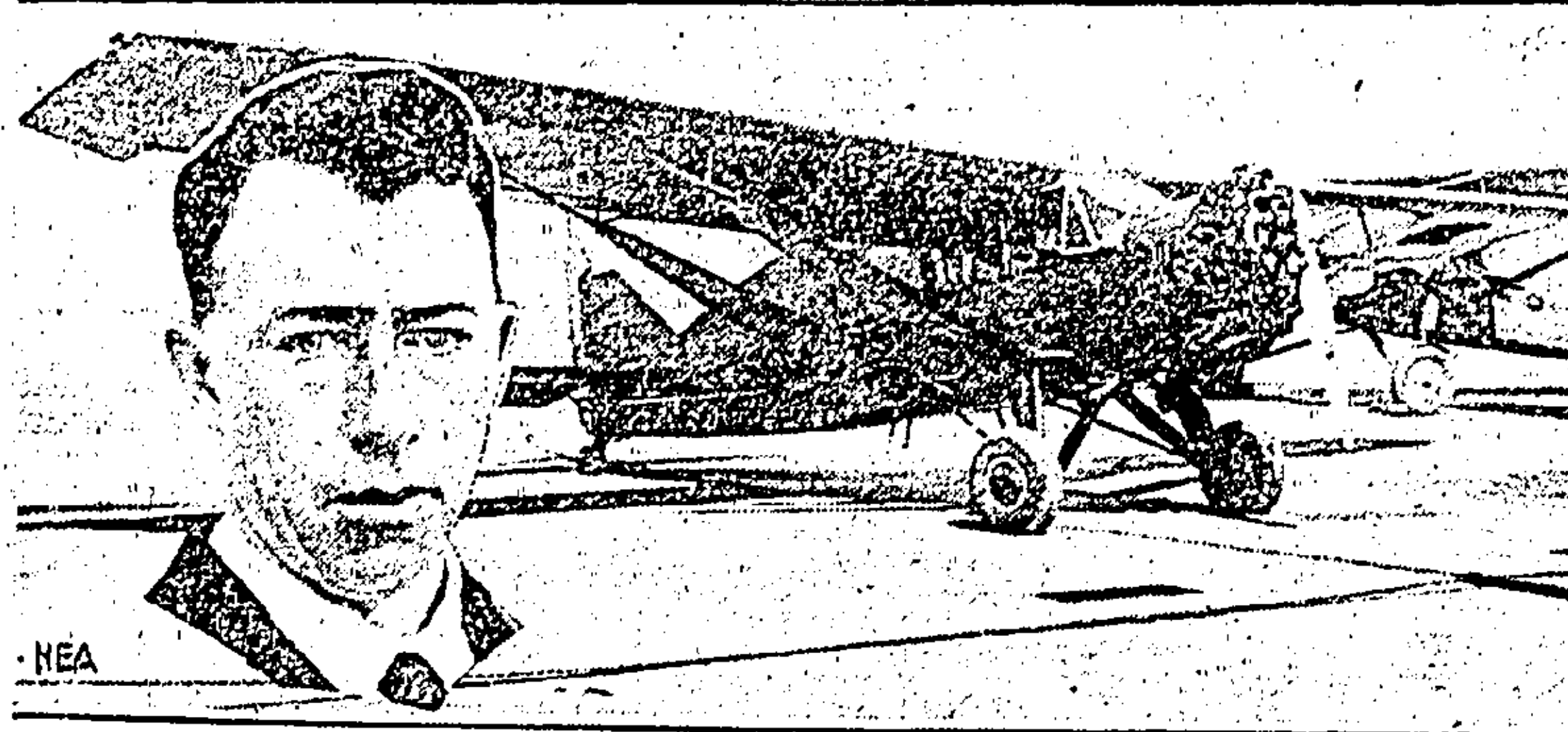
Mr. Paul R. Josselyn who has arrived in Shanghai to take up his duties as American Consul on the departure of Mr. Edwin S. Cunningham.



"Quit puttering-a-round and bear down on that club," is what Pronto, a small brown bear, guardian of the ninth hole at a miniature golf links in Los Angeles, probably was saying as he posed for this picture. Pronto is America's most unusual golf hazard and has a yearning for golf balls, which was developed when he was given one dipped in syrup to play with.



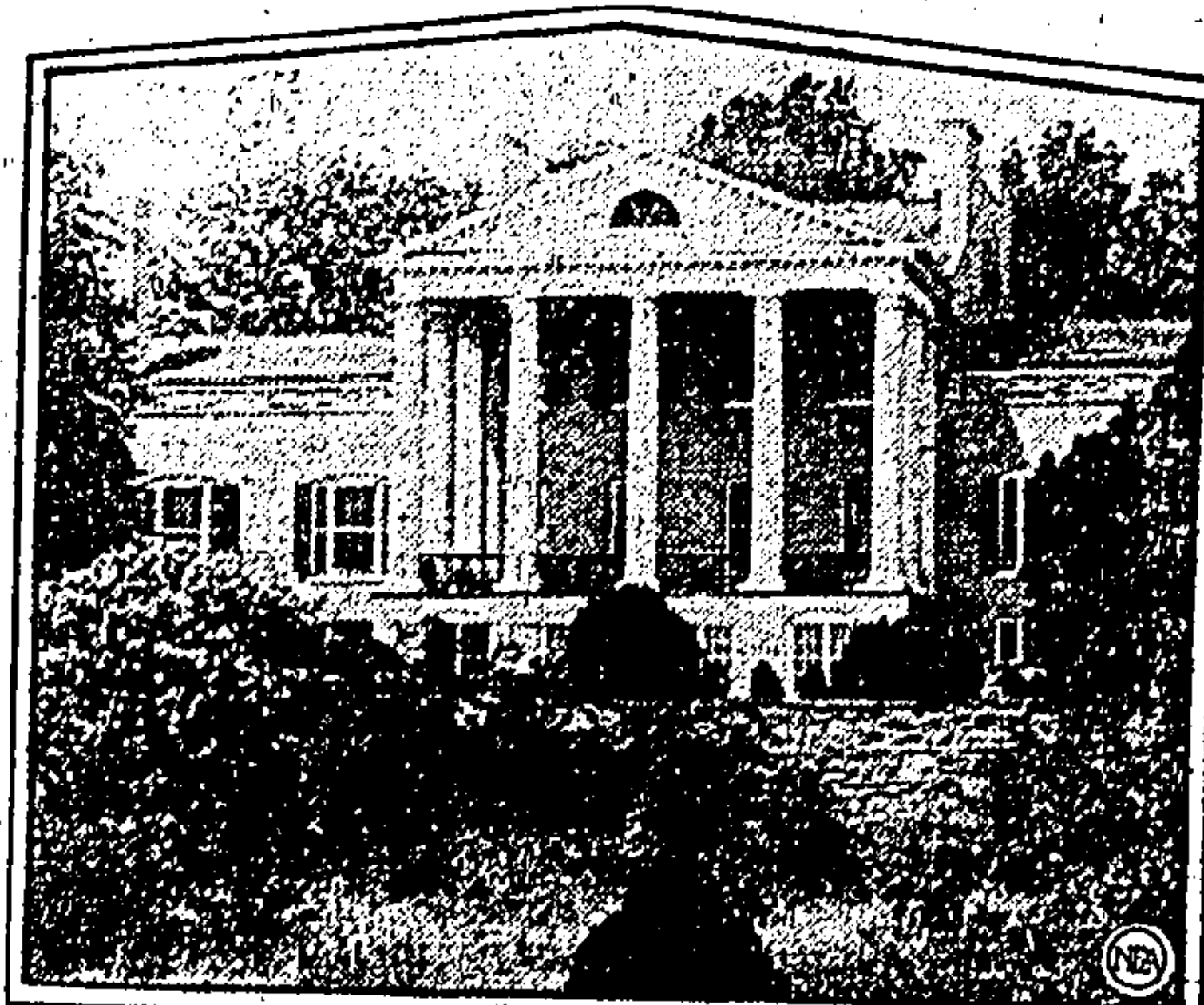
Here's the finish of the first transpacific hop of 1930. Photo shows wreckage of Robert Wark's and Eddie Brown's "Pacific Era" after it crashed at Ladner, B. C., on its attempted flight from Tacoma, Wash., to Tokyo, Japan. Wark was slightly injured.



A real "sky pilot" is Brother Feltes of St. Ignatius College, who leaves San Francisco within a few weeks for Holy Cross Alaska, from where he will operate to 20 or more far-flung Jesuit missionaries in Alaska.



Dr. Soumey Cheng recently returned from the Country Hospital where she has been convalescing, and is here photographed with a group of friends, including Dr. and Madame Wang Chung-hui, and Dr. Wei Tso-ming, the Mayor of Nanking.



"Oak Hill," famous in American history, has been purchased by Secretary of the Treasury Andrew Mellon for his daughter, Mrs. David K. Estes Bruce. The 100-year-old brick mansion had as its first occupant James Monroe, fifth President of the United States.

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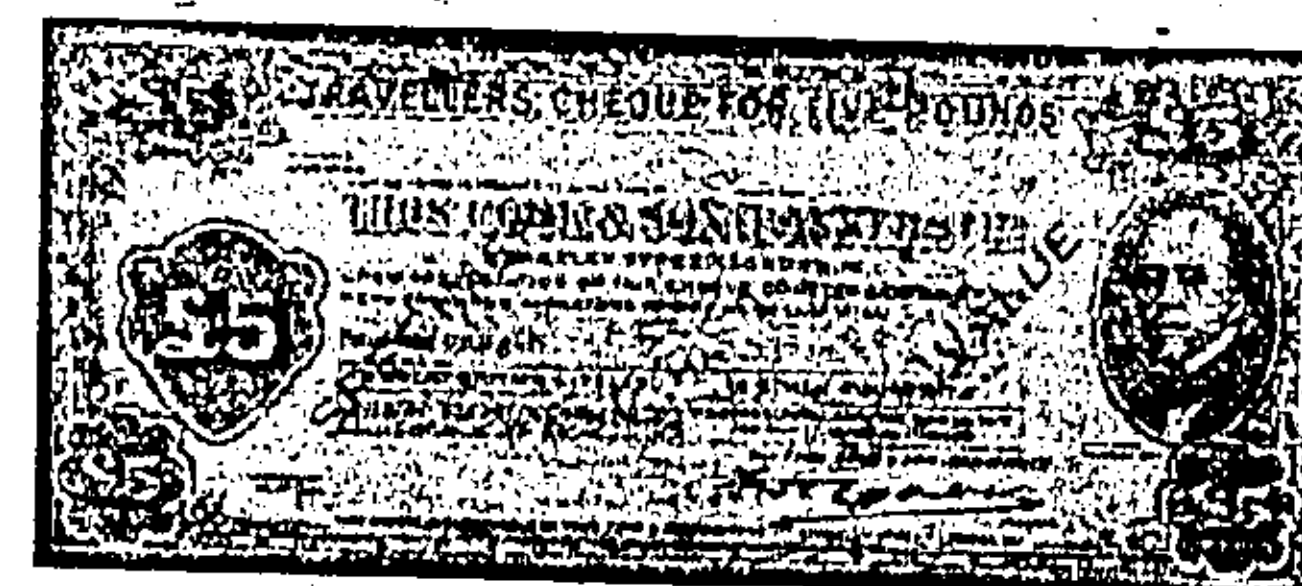
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## ROYAL SANITARY INSTITUTE.

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 Education Department.

Candidates should obtain Ap-  
 plication Forms from the local  
 Secretary, care of Education  
 Department, on or before Novem-  
 ber 5th, 1930.

## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Ninth Extra Race Meeting  
 will be held (weather permitting)  
 at Happy Valley on SATURDAY,  
 25th October, 1930, commencing  
 at 2 p.m. The first bell will be  
 run at 1.30 p.m.

## MEMBERS ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they  
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 badges prominently displayed.

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 (limited to two) for the free ad-  
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 Works Department, by Order of  
 His Excellency the Governor of  
 one Lot of Crown Land at  
 Shamshui, in the Colony of  
 Hong Kong, for a term of 75  
 years, commencing from 1st  
 July, 1898, with the option of  
 renewal at a Crown Rent to be  
 fixed by the Surveyor of His  
 Majesty the King, for one fur-  
 ther term of 24 years less three  
 days.

## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Acres	Estimated Rental	Upset Price.
1	New Kowloon Lot No. 1412.	Junction of Pak Wai Street and Shek Kip Street, Nei Street.	As per sale plan.	About 5.610	\$36	\$7,013

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Acres	Estimated Rental	Upset Price.
2	New Kowloon Lot No. 1413.	Junction of Pak Wai Street and Shek Kip Street, Nei Street.	As per sale plan.	About 2.470	\$18	\$3,688

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Acres	Estimated Rental	Upset Price.
3	New Kowloon Lot No. 1414.	Junction of Pak Wai Street and Shek Kip Street, Nei Street.	As per sale plan.	About 2.100	\$15	\$2,950

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Haiphong	Canton	Fri., Oct. 24, 2.30 p.m.
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What woman would believe in the love of a man who openly confessed to his own inability to believe that he could be faithful to her for a life-time?

Is it not of the very essence of love, that it rises, supreme above all other affections and passions, admitting no slightest doubt of change, and driving out every vestige of such caution as would lead to the taking of temporary vows?

And if such precautionary measures would reap when suggested by the man, how much less acceptable would they be coming from the woman, whom a man had chosen, out of all womankind, to be his wife?

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### PUTTING OFF MARRIAGE.

[A Reply to Miss Nineteen.]

"I am nineteen. He is twenty-three. We are both very much in love and we want to get married."

I read the start of Miss Nineteen-year-old's heart-ry, and my romantic instincts were immediately stirred.

"Splendid!" I cried. "Here's an answer to the pessimists who say the modern girl has no use for love and marriage. Her parents say she's too young, do they? Not at all! That's just like parents, though; always trying to thwart 'true love'—they object on principle." I thought bitterly, "just because it brings home to them how far they themselves have wandered from the real thing."

Of course, Miss Nineteen is defiant. My tender heart warmed to her as I read of her pleading, her reasoning, and now her desperation, and then, right at the end of her outburst, a nasty little paragraph of confession suddenly pricked my worldly sense into action, and in two minutes my tender heart retired squashed.

"One half of me—the romantic half," declares Miss Nineteen, "knows I will never love him less, but the other half—the everyday half—is just a tiny bit doubtful."

Oh, little Miss Nineteen, don't you see it? It's not the romantic half of you that matters in marriage, but the everyday half—the half that carries your everyday brains and your everyday likes and dislikes, and it's just that part of you that you say is doubtful.

Don't you see it's your own everyday commonsense that knows all the time your parents are right, but your heart is trying its best to shout it down, and you think because your heart makes most noise that it must be right.

You say fathers and mothers cannot remember the emotional

fevers of youth. They can, little daughter, but you see, they have got the quieter, more lasting emotion of real love to set beside that youthful passion. They can compare them; you can't, because you are at the crest of your love affair, as you say yourself, and, when you are on the crest, why, of course, everything beneath you looks small and insignificant and ordinary. Your whole world is out of focus.

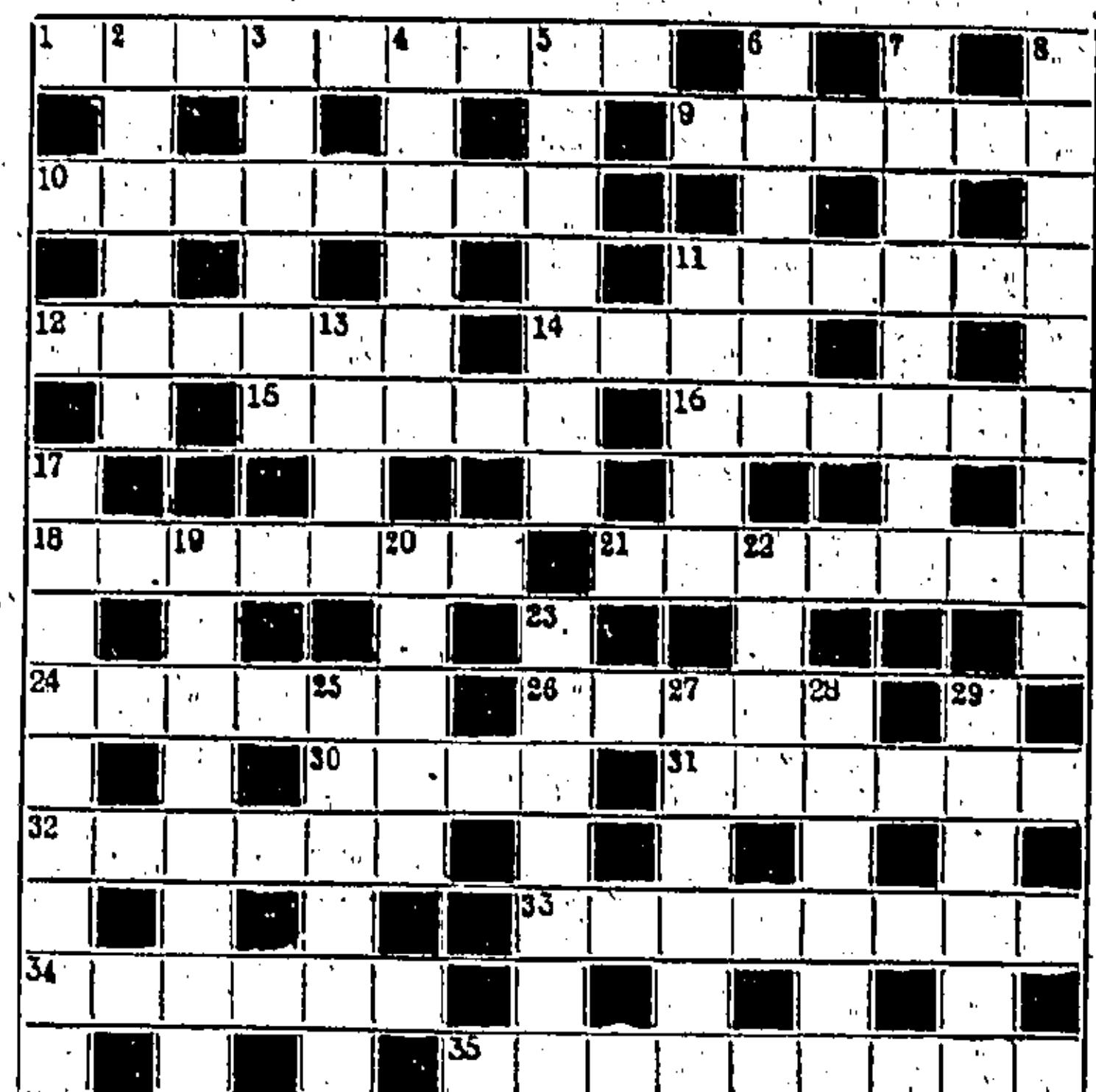
There is no financial obstacle, you say. Well, then, Miss Nineteen, I think that's a pity. If your George is only twenty-three, and in a position to marry already, I'm afraid he has found life pretty easy, and life may not always be easy. Are you sure you can trust him when things go wrong? Is he man enough to face adversity bravely. Remember, you mean to spend a life-time together, and a lifetime is long when one is not yet twenty.

And you, probably not long left school, what have you seen of life? It has always been rather a jolly affair, hasn't it? Rather with his cheque-book for what you needed, mother looking after your clothes, keeping between you and anything that might spoil your "good time"—they have been so good to you for nineteen years, haven't they? And now, because they ask you to wait one year, perhaps two, before taking the biggest step of your life, they become your enemies.

But they know that married life, even with no financial worries, needs such a lot that your youth lacks—patience, forbearance, unselfishness, and sacrifice. You have never tried any of them; probably. Then here's your chance.

Have patience and forbearance with your parents for a year, be unselfish for their sakes, sacrifice that year for them, and then, when you are twenty, Miss Nineteen, if this love is the real, everyday, lasting kind, it won't have weakened as you fear, but have grown strong in the test, ready for marriage as it never was before.—M. R. K. In Exchange.

### OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



- Across.
- Force, behind a leather strap will strengthen.
  - Chase.
  - "Bless me! a" terrible crowd has collected (anag.).
  - This great show may be seen in most suburban high streets.
  - May cause a wound or cure an ill.
  - This clue is decidedly remote.
  - Men walk thus in Crete.
  - Cleanses with fresh water.
  - This kind of driving is most reprehensible.
  - A plant with coloured perianths but no petals.
  - Be careful, the tail of this little animal may go off.
  - Here one may see horses and frocks.
  - This Duke won many battles for Britain.
  - Makes fit.
  - These carry considerable weight as bracers.
  - I "met Green" quite unexpectedly as he was coming out (anag.).
  - Rules.
  - "Clan rates" (anag.).
- Down.
- It is generally—to give advice than to follow it.
  - Although this has only one eye it is very acute.
  - An old word meaning orphaned.
  - Having the edge notched.
  - This deadly poison might be used by a 7 down.
  - When one patient carrier follows another in, look out for sudden death.
  - An old overcoat by the side of the Thames.
  - The average schoolboy would rather deal with its fruit anagram than do this.
  - Therefore, logically.
  - Hold out to the party man, money freely given.
  - Imaginative.
  - All of us are this of something.
  - This clue is far from bad.
  - Hypocrisy is unavoidable in this place of refreshment.
  - A creed which enshrines the town of its birth.
  - Lent.
  - If you the second half this, you will have hit the mark.
  - This verse holds a touch of the sun.

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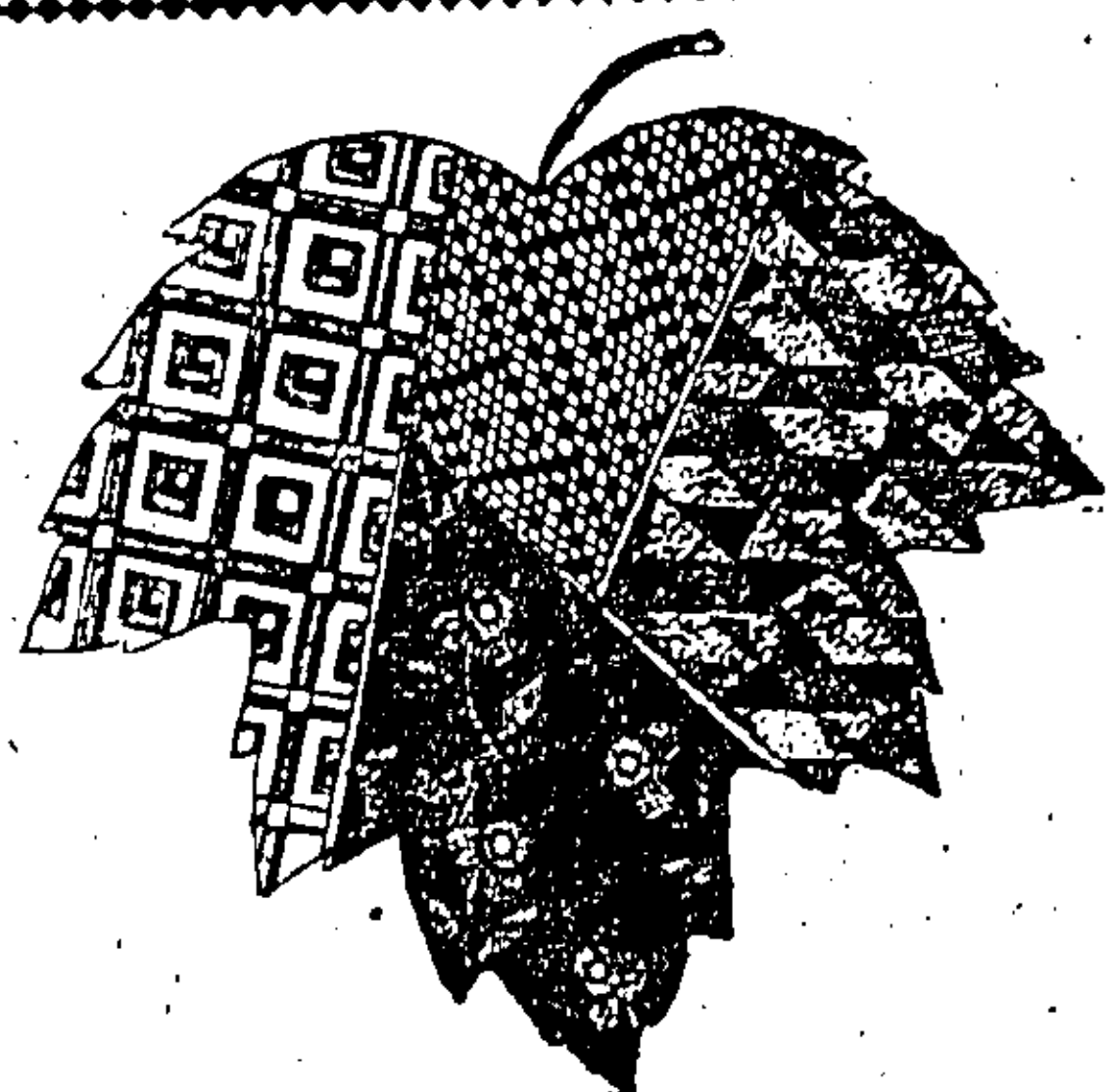
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**OTHER WAYS THAN  
TARIFFS.**

With the delegates to the Imperial Conference now engrossed in Committee work, it is inevitable that very little can at the moment be divulged regarding what is going on behind the scenes. It is apparent, however, that, by the method adopted, the Conference is coming to grips with the multifarious issues upon which it is hoped to reach decisions to the mutual benefit of all parts of the Empire. Greatest interest is naturally centred on the deliberations of the Committee on Economic Co-Operation, which is considering numerous schemes designed to stimulate inter-Empire trade. The tariff proposals are very shortly to be reported upon, and it will then be disclosed whether this method is likely to be acted upon. At the moment, the various Government Departments in London are examining this aspect of the question.

It is satisfactory to observe that this matter of Empire trade development is not being considered solely from the standpoint of possible tariff changes. There are, in fact, many other methods of stimulating trade besides interference with tariffs, some of which are certainly least objectionable and possibly far more practical. The writer of a frankly Protectionist article in the *Times* recently went so far as to say that "the adoption of common standards by the various constituents of the British Empire might in certain industries have more effect on the direction of trade than any kind of preferential tariff." In other directions, also, there is no lack of fields for constructive co-operation between the nations of the British Commonwealth. Touching on this point, a writer has shown that the establishment of a permanent Imperial Economic Secretariat, for the purpose of facilitating the exchange of commercial intelligence and joint consideration of economic problems, would certainly have a beneficial effect. Then there are such matters as the co-ordination of credit and currency, co-operative industrial and agricultural research, improved methods of grading, marketing, packing, and marketing, the improvement of communications, the organisation of emigration, the unification of mercantile and maritime law and practice, the simplification of Customs formal-

ties, and the abolition of double taxation. Here—and the list might be extended—is a formidable array of measures for stimulating Empire trade, and serious application thereto might well be more effective and potent than "any kind of preferential tariff."

These subjects, while peculiarly suited to Imperial co-operation can also be said to fall within the range of activities of such a body as the League of Nations. The plain fact is that the world today is economically and politically sick, and much of that sickness arises from the failure of the nations to co-ordinate either their foreign or economic policies. There are some who argue that because progress is slow, the idea of co-operation should be given up altogether. These are they who would attempt to cure the evils arising from armaments by increasing armaments, and the evils arising from tariff walls and financial anarchy by the imposition of more tariffs. The logical outcome of such a policy must be to divide the world into groups, each restricting and hampering trade with other groups, fighting them diplomatically for concessions and spheres of influence, discriminating against their shipping, and wrangling with them over tariff concessions. That is not the way to remove world depression or to build up economic prosperity, but it is the way to kill co-operation and eventually to lead to war.

**The Colony's Educational Policy.**

Somewhat submerged in a speech dealing with a host of matters of high and perhaps more immediate moment, Sir William Peel's views on the Colony's educational system have received less attention than they deserve. His Excellency was brief, but very much to the point, and we welcome his proposal to seek the advice of the Education Board as the promise of a step towards the rationalisation of local education. That some measure of reform is desirable must be obvious. His Excellency has clearly perceived the greatest weakness of the present policy, namely, that it allows pupils to stay at Government schools for three or four years longer than is justified, and, of course, that the longer they stay the greater is the cost of upkeep of such schools to the Government. Doubtless many of them enter upon education in English schools rather late in life. Nevertheless there is a certain incongruity to be found in the fact of youths of 20 and upwards—many of them married men with children—playing the part of schoolboys. The fees they pay scarcely begin to cover the cost with the result that, in permitting them to remain at school, a Government seeking to retrench has perforce to reduce its outlay in other and probably more fruitful directions. Subsidies to vernacular schools appear in the Budget at a lower figure than last year to the prejudice probably of some hundreds of children of the poorer classes. This is bad economics, as pointed out by the Hon. Dr. Ts'o. The more schools of this kind there are in existence, the lighter is the responsibility of Government in the matter of popular education. It would appear, reverting to the problem of the high age of numerous pupils at Government schools, that if they can afford to continue their education, they can afford to contribute a larger proportion of the cost of such education. The Government is committed to no definite course of action but it is satisfactory to know that the educational problems of the Colony are to be explored from a new angle.

Theft of a quantity of telephone cable and soldering in Hennessy Road was alleged against a coolie who appeared before Mr. Lindell at the Central Magistracy this morning. The defendant was also charged with receiving stolen property. The accused, who stated that the material had been given to him by an electrician of the Telephone Company, was remanded on the application of the police to endeavour to arrest the principal offender.

## DAY BY DAY

THE FUTURE WILL BELONG TO THE RELIGION THAT FIRST FITS ITSELF TO THE FUTURE—Israel Zangwill.

Yesterday's health return shows one non-Chinese case of puerperal fever.

The Hongkong interport golf team returned from Shanghai by the s.s. Empress of Canada to-day.

Mr. M. Manuk will speak on "The Way to Liberation" at a public lecture at the Hongkong Lodge of the Theosophical Society, 7, Queen's Road Central, 2nd Floor, to-day at 6 p.m.

Professor W. I. Gerrard will preside over the debate on "Private Practice should be entirely replaced by Hospitals of the State" to be held to-day at 5.15 p.m. in the Union Assembly Hall, Hongkong University.

Struck in the stomach by a piece of wood which he was sawing at the time, a Chinese named Leung Sum-muk, employed as a carpenter at Ah King's Slipway, was removed to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday for treatment.

A Chinese named Chan Kai (19), employed by the Kowloon Godowns, was admitted to the Kwong Wah Hospital yesterday suffering from injuries to his hand which was crushed whilst working cargo. His condition is not regarded as serious.

Passengers who arrived to-day by the Empress of Canada included the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton and Mrs. Shenton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taggart, Mr. P. Tester, Mrs. E. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hickling, Mr. and Mrs. A. Primmall, Mrs. F. Maitland, and Sir Elly Kadoorie.

Mr. T. V. Soong, Finance Minister to the Nanking Government, arrived here by the Empress of Canada to-day, being accompanied by three secretaries. He was met by several Canton officials. He proceeds to Canton to-morrow to investigate Kwangtung finances, and will remain in the South for about two weeks.

Residents desiring to send gifts overseas will read with interest the announcement appearing in our advertising columns, by Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son, Ltd., which solves the packing problem. Packing and forwarding is usually an irksome task for most people, and realising this, Cook's undertake to carry out this work, paying duty where necessary and delivering the packages safely to the addresses desired. This facility will doubtless be much appreciated.

MISS SACKVILLE WEST says

## YOUTH IS PERPLEXED.

A DAY or two ago I was talking to two young men. One of them was 21, and thus had not been to the war; the other was 33, and had been right through it.

Let us call them respectively Stephen and Ronald—which were, in fact, their names. Stephen was both by inclination and profession a poet; Ronald worked by profession in an office, but by inclination was a philosopher with a scientific mind. He liked scientific facts, and he liked general ideas; he respected, though he did not specialise in, art and literature.

**The War.**

Stephen, who had just left Oxford, was an idealist and a visionary, with a good working knowledge of his own contemporaries. Clearly a lot went on in both their heads. I asked them what they thought of the post-war generation as compared with the pre-war.

They both said, in a breath, that the war had made all the difference. I agreed. The war made a gulf four years wide. But what, exactly, was the difference?

They eyed each other, and me, mistrustfully. Englishmen "mis-trust generalisations"—how right!—and dislike giving themselves away—how wrongly! Nothing is more interesting than a person willing to give himself away. Then they decided to talk.

Ronald: Well, in the first place, an absence of sentimentality.

Stephen: Never! People of my age (Stephen, remember, is 21) are profoundly sentimental. Only, they will take infinite pains to disguise it.

**Pursuit of Pleasure.**

Ronald (ignoring the disagreement): In the second place a pursuit of pleasure. The tylist in my office goes out every evening, either to dance or to the pictures. The clerk in my bank spends every week-end rushing about on his motor-bicycle. I, myself, suffer in my own way from the same feverishness.

You see, one's daily work has become so automatic, so impersonal, so standardised, that it ceases to be an interest and becomes a mere routine. The days when the junior in an office felt himself to be part of a small, friendly, family concern are over. Similarly, the hand-craftsman has given place to the worker in the factory, who spends his time screwing up a certain nut, and scarcely knows what he is helping to make.

Everything is on too big and unmanageable a scale. One is obliged to work for one's living. But one tries to compensate oneself by squeezing every ounce of pleasure into one's private life.

Stephen: I think it goes deeper than that. Mind you, I was only five when the war broke out; only

nine when it ended. The war can't have affected me very directly or personally. But I have to suffer from the direct, or indirect effect on millions of people.

We are left with no beliefs beyond a vague pessimism. We are inheriting the full sense of the futility of the war. That's what makes us feel so lost.

**Lost Values.**

Ronald: Lost? Yes—I suppose one does feel lost. Exposed, and naked, and vulnerable. With the burden of making a new world, and nothing to make it with. All the old values gone, and no new ones to take their place. Besides, during the war one had a sense of irresponsibility which amounted to a sense of personal liberty. One's life was arranged for one; one was ordered about; one was treated as a parcel.

But, ultimately, someone else was always answerable. There was always some colonel or general on whom one could put the blame.

Stephen: I daresay. But what about us? It's our world now—we are told—to reorganise, but, personally, I feel rather like a child set down to make out a complicated journey from a Bradshaw fifteen years out of date. No wonder we want to shelve the problem, and run off to play!

**Elaborate Bluff.**

No wonder we try to hide our sentimentality and our anxiety. The fact that we hide them doesn't mean that they aren't there. I am convinced that we are all profoundly unhappy and uneasy. So we put up an elaborate bluff.

They had quite forgotten my presence in the room. They were talking seriously and eagerly, in an honest attempt to get at what they did think and at what they did mean. Although their words were pessimistic, their very seriousness and honesty persuaded me that there was hope in the young. They might be perplexed, but they were not empty.

They were horribly worried because they had lost something and had not yet found anything else to take its place. They knew that a gospel of despair was not going to take them very far. They did at least know that.

They went on talking, and I listened. They were talking now about science. Eddington, they agreed, was tremendously inspiring, though one couldn't understand it all. But it was a difficult world, they agreed.

One knew too much, and one knew too little. Still, they said, they would rather be living now than at any time in the past. "And what about the future?" I asked. Oh, the future! Nobody could tell about that.



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## BRILLIANT BOWLS IN SEMI-FINAL.

### LUZ AND OMAR FIGHT A CLOSE CONTEST.

A standard of bowls not equalled during the past season was maintained throughout the match between R. F. Luz and U. M. Omar in the semi-final of the Open Championship, played on the Civil Service green yesterday afternoon before a large crowd of enthusiasts, who were not slow in showing their appreciation of the wonderful display given by both contestants.

R. F. Luz, qualified to meet A. M. Holland in the final, but not until the scores had been tied at 20 shots all at the twenty-first head. Omar, after being 17-5 down at the 13th head, made a brilliant recovery and all but won the match, on two occasions being deprived of the winning count by the Recreio player's last wood.

The holder of the title started favourite, and gave an exhibition worthy of a champion. He was drawing some difficult shots, and on many occasions displaced his opponent's wood to lay the shot. There were times when he was either too short or too heavy, but on the whole he upheld his reputation of being a consistent player, capable of rising to the occasion when necessity demanded.

The Craigengower representative opened on level terms, but fell away somewhat during the middle stages of the game. After the thirteenth head, when he was no less than twelve shots behind at a vital stage of the game, he made a wonderful recovery and, regaining control of the game, he brought the totals to 20 all on the twenty-first head. He was bowling up to the form of Luz, and on yesterday's play few would have been surprised to have seen the championship change hands on the result of the game. He was invariably well on to the jack and on one head scored no fewer than three touchers.

#### Brilliant Play.

After being 4-1 on the fifth head, Luz seemed to have gained control of the game and ran away from his opponent, scoring on practically every head until the thirteenth. There was some wonderful bowling on the seventh head, when all the woods were clustered round the jack, each player laying in turn. Both were playing brilliant bowls and Luz just managed to secure a count of two.

It was not until the fourteenth head that Omar regained his accuracy, and from that point on he was more than a match for the holder. He scored on five successive heads by out-playing his opponent and at the end of the eighteenth had brought the scores to 11-17. Luz then scored three to give him 20 shots, but the Craigengower player was not to be outdone, and played a remarkably good game to secure a count of four.

Excitement was tense on the last two heads, and although the players were somewhat affected the standard never lessened. Omar, in playing a full head, was lying three shots with victory in sight when Luz, with his

## SHANGHAI F.A. AND LOH HWA.

### SPECIAL COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE.

Shanghai, Oct. 22. The Shanghai Football Association is appointing a special Commission, consisting of two nominees from the S. F. A. and two from the China National Amateur Athletic Federation, with an independent chairman not connected with football, to investigate and report on the status of the individuals who were concerned in the recent soccer tour of the East Indies and the projected tour of Europe.—*Reuter.*

last wood, tried a drive and displaced one of his opponent's woods, giving Omar two to bring the scores to 20 shots all.

Neither player was very near the jack on the last head but Omar was always laying until Luz drew the shot with his third wood, about a foot from the jack.

Omar made a gallant effort to save the game with his last wood and, although he was slightly short, just managed to lay nearer than his opponent. The last wood of the match was watched with the closest interest by the spectators, and when it left the hand of the Recreio player it could be seen that there would be a possible change in the positions. After removing Omar's counter, Luz's last wood carried the jack, to give him the right to enter the final for the second year in succession.

#### Scores in Detail.

The full scores were as follow:

R. F. Luz	Heads.	U. M. Omar
1	1	1
2	2	2
3	3	3
4	4	4
5	5	5
6	6	6
7	7	7
8	8	8
9	9	9
10	10	10
11	11	11
12	12	12
13	13	13
14	14	14
15	15	15
16	16	16
17	17	17
18	18	18
19	19	19
20	20	20
21	21	21
22	22	22

#### The Final.

In all probability the finals of the Championship and the Spey Royal competitions will take place at the Kowloon Cricket Club on Saturday, November 1, at 3 p.m., sharp.

The championship final will be between A. M. Holland and R. F. Luz, and the Spey Royal Cup match will be between the Kowloon Dock and Craigengower teams.

The season's trophies will be presented at the conclusion of play.

## ARMY CRICKETERS BEAT STUDENTS.

### WIN BY MARGIN OF NINE RUNS.

In a return match, a team from the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders defeated the St. Joseph's College XI at King's Park in a close game by nine runs.

Taking first knock, the military side compiled 65 runs, Lewis being top scorer with 13. Oakley helped with 11, and was the only other player to reach double figures. The attack of the students was good, Reserve capturing four wickets for only 11 runs, while Asome took three for two and Abbas three for 31.

St. Joseph's could do no better than knock up 56 in reply. To this total Eric Souza contributed 19 and A.R. Abbas 12.

#### Scores:

Argylls.	
R. Perry, b Reserve	6
Taylor, c Abbas, b Asome	7
H. Boyd, c Souza, b Asome	0
Hastings, b Reserve	0
Shepherd, c Abbas, b Reserve	4
Gibson, b Asome	4
Lewis, c and b Abbas	13
Mackay, c Souza, b Abbas	7
Martin, c Lim, b Abbas	5
Oakley, b Reserve	11
Gray, not out	0
Extras	12
	65

#### Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Abbas	8	31	3	3
Asome	5	4	2	3
A. Reserve	3	11	4	4
Souza	2	8	8	4
Gutierrez	2	7	7	7

#### St. Joseph's.

A. Reserve, b Hastings	3
H. Asome, c Taylor, b Shepherd	4
A. R. Abbas, c Gibson, b Hastings	12
Eric Souza, b Shepherd	19
J. Gutierrez, c Martin, b Shepherd	1
C. Dragon, c Gibson, b Oakley	4
N. Y. Lim, b Oakley	0
H. Ozorio, run out	1
A. Hussein, c Gibson, b Shepherd	0
J. Remedios, c Hastings, b Oakley	0
A. Ramjahn, not out	0
Extras	12
	56

#### Bowling Analysis.

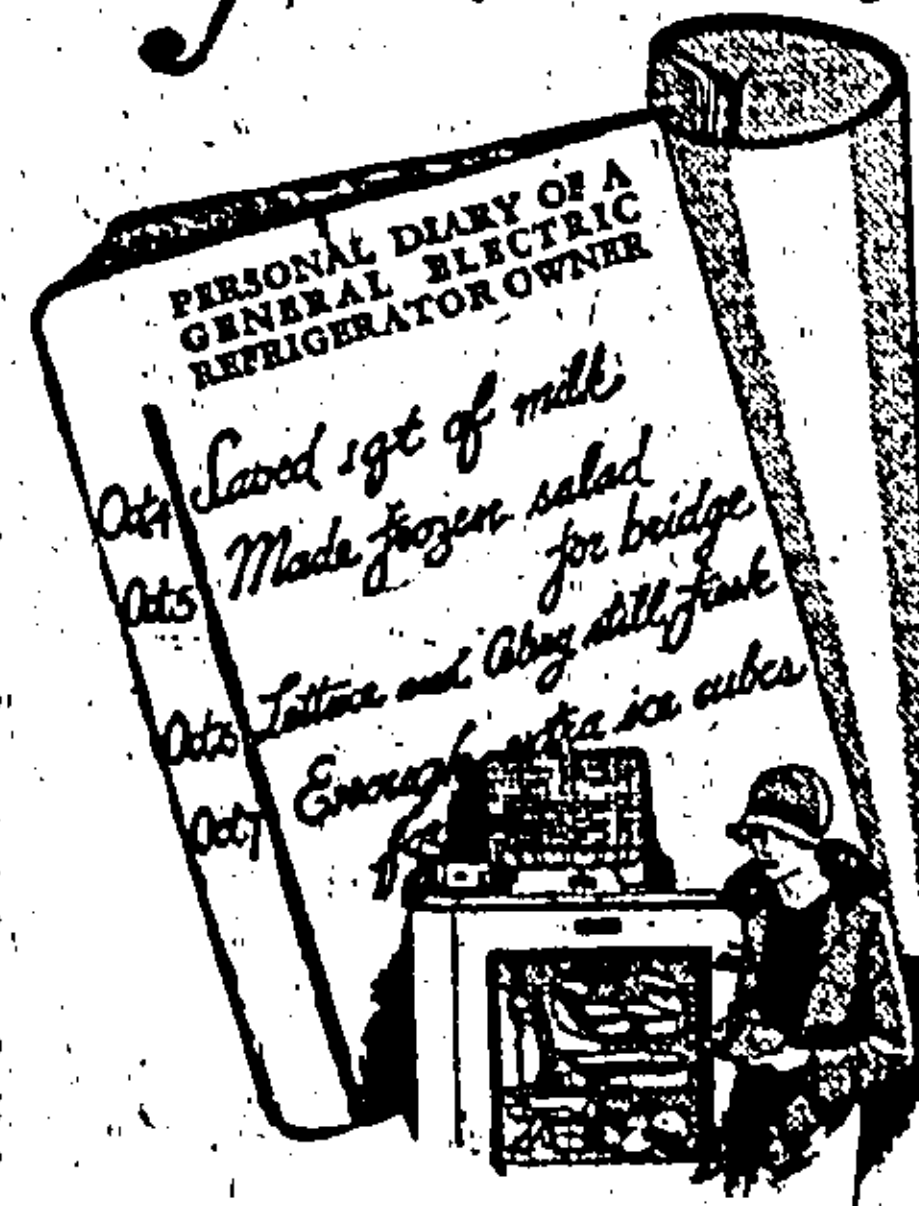
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Shepherd	9	4	12	4
Hastings	6	22	2	2
Oakley	4	10	3	3

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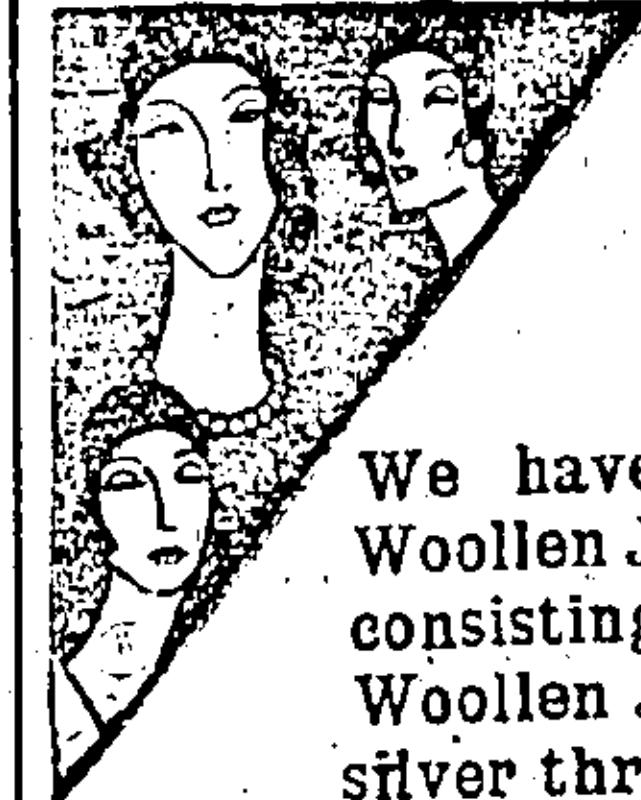


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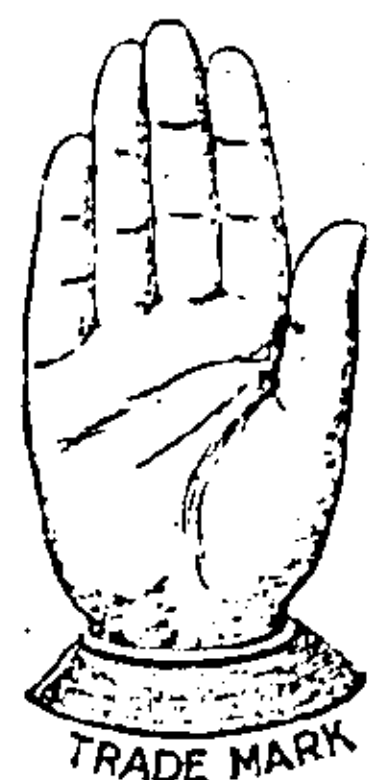
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- (a) Minuet, from Berenice Handel.
  - (b) Bourree, from Suite in F. Parry.
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  - (a) Music, when soft voices die Maurice Beley.
  - (b) Serenade, from "Six Jester Songs" Granville Bantock.
  - (a) Allemande.
  - (b) Gigue from Suite in G minor Handel.
  - Mrs. Shand.
  - (a) Ships of Acready Michael Head.
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  - Mrs. Snowden Jones.
  - (a) Andante Cantabile, Opus 11 Tschaiowsky.
  - (b) To a wild rose Macdowell.
  - The Orchestra.
  - (a) Slumber, dear maid Handel.
  - (b) O Lovely Night Landon Ronald.
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  - (a) Rosemary Frank Bridge.
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  - (a) Sins, Joyous Bird Montague Philips.
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### FRANCE WAR DEBTS.

#### RUMOURS OF POSSIBLE MORATORIUM.

New York, Oct. 22. The visit of Herr Schacht, ex-President of the Reichsbank, has aroused more than usual interest in financial and diplomatic circles. He has seen President Hoover, Mr. Andrew W. Mellon and Mr. H. L. Stimson, and the report was immediately circulated that a discussion had been held on the possibility of Germany declaring a moratorium in connexion with the payment of reparations. The report has been specifically denied, however, from the White House and the State Department, while the Treasury has denied that the Government are considering the possibility of a five year moratorium in Allied Debt payments.

Herr Schacht, addressing the Foreign Policy Association, declared that Hitlerism in Germany was a perfectly constitutional movement and that the election success of the Fascists was simply the reaction of numerous Germans against the treatment accorded them since the war by their former enemies.—Reuter.

#### France Getting Alarmed.

Paris, Oct. 22. Herr Schacht's activities in the United States have aroused mistrust in France as it is feared that he is seeking the revision of the Young Plan for Reparations.—Reuter.

### GRAVE AMERICAN UNEMPLOYMENT.

#### MANY ALIENS SEEKING DEPORTATION.

San Francisco, Oct. 22. As a result of the severe unemployment in the United States (which official circles admit reaches a total of 3,500,000, while some official observers place it at 5,000,000) unprecedented numbers of aliens are giving themselves up for deportation.

The authorities are unable to handle the rush, and owing to lack of funds the Immigration Department is only sending out the most undesirable foreigners from the country.—Reuter's American Service.

Port Arthur, Ontario, Oct. 22. A handful of mounted police have summoned reinforcements to cope with a tense situation arising from unemployment.

Communists have stirred up the passions of the workless, who attacked the Police Chief and a sergeant, and released a prisoner whom they were taking to gaol. Meetings have demanded employment or relief grants, threatening otherwise to loot the shops.—Reuter's American Service.

### USE OF WEIHAUWEI.

#### CHINESE ADMIRAL ON AN INSPECTION VISIT.

Weihaiwei, Oct. 22. Admiral Shen Hung-lich has arrived on a ten day visit, in order to inspect the place and decide on the suitability or otherwise of Weihaiwei as a Chinese naval base.—Reuter.

### STRONG PROTEST BY JEWISH LEADERS.

#### OBJECTION TO BRITISH PALESTINE POLICY.

London, Oct. 22.

There is bitter resentment by Jews all over the world in consequence of the Government statement on Palestine on October 20.

Lord Melchett has resigned the joint chairmanship of the Council of the Jewish Agency, and the chairmanship of the political committee. He says that the reckless manner in which the Labour Government has wrecked the loyal support of Jews all over the Empire and all over the world appears incredible.

A New York message says Mr. Felix Warburg has resigned the chairmanship of the administrative committee of the Jewish Agency, on the ground that the British statement constitutes a "cruel and unfair betrayal."

When the news of the Government's decision was received by the final session of the American Jewish Congress, many delegates broke into tears and tore up the speeches they had prepared. The meeting resolved itself into a meeting of protest.

#### Anti-British Move?

The possibility of a very strong anti-British movement among the Jews in America is envisaged.

A Paris report states that M. Zratopolski, vice-president of the French Zionist Committee, interviewed, said a powerful movement would soon start to boycott the British in Palestine, following the practice of Gandhi's followers. He said if Palestine were closed to the Jews, they would establish a home in Syria under the French flag.

The Chief Rabbi of France and a number of Jewish chiefs and others, also publish protests, and a series of protest meetings is being organised.

From Jerusalem it is reported that cables summaries of the Government's statement of policy have staggered the Jews. The local Jewish daily describes the new policy as the "greatest deception in Jewish history."

The Arabs are also disappointed, because the mandate and the Jewish declaration remain.—Reuter.

### FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. J. CARR.

#### A LARGE ATTENDANCE AT THE GRAVESIDE.

There was a large attendance at the funeral yesterday afternoon at Happy Valley of the late Mr. J. Carr, of the P.W.D., whose death occurred on Tuesday. The burial service at the Protestant Cemetery was taken by the Rev. H. V. Koop.

The bereaved family, Mrs. Carr, Messrs. J. R. and G. W. Carr and Miss L. Carr, were present as chief mourners, and among those who attended were the Hon. Mr. H. T. Greasy (Director of Public Works) Mr. E. W. Carpenter (Assistant Director of Public Works), Mr. E. Newhouse (Engineer-in-Charge, Maintenance Department), and Messrs. T. Armstrong, R. S. Bell, C. W. E. Bishop, T. Bolt, C. S. Coom, J. S. Dinnen, H.

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Gems from Robin Hood. Mixed voices with Orchestra. 35784-A.  
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Selections from "Good News."  
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What did the Village Blacksmith say?  
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Leonard Henry. 3013-B.  
Another bedtime story. Cindrella.  
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Over the Garden wall.  
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Sh' shivering.  
Why is the bacon so tough.  
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7.10 p.m. A Concert.  
Overture. Peer Gynt Suite.  
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Song. Robin Adair.  
The Last Rose of Summer.  
Frances Alda. Soprano. 1188-B.

Trilo. Love's old sweet song.  
Violin, Flute and Harp.  
Neapolitan Trio. 35765-A.

Song. The Little Silver Ring.  
Bird Songs at Eventide.  
John McCormack. Tenor. 1803-B.

Violin Solo. I hear you calling me.  
Renée Chemet. 1291-B.

Duet. Tales of Hoffman.  
Barcarolle.  
Lucrezia Bori. 3043-A.

String Quartet. Irish Reel.  
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Song. By the Waters of Minnetonka.  
Ernestine Schumann-Heink.  
Contralto. 1198-A.

Piano-forte solo.  
Hungarian Rhapsody No. 11.  
Alfred Cortot. 1277-A.

Song. Rose in the Bud.  
Reinhold Werrenrath. Baritone. 1344-A.

Conclusion.  
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Orchestra. Triumphal March.

Victor Symphony Orchestra. 35763-A.  
8.00 p.m. A relay from the Ko Shing Theatre. Chinese programme.

9.00 p.m. Weather report.  
11.00 p.m. Close down.

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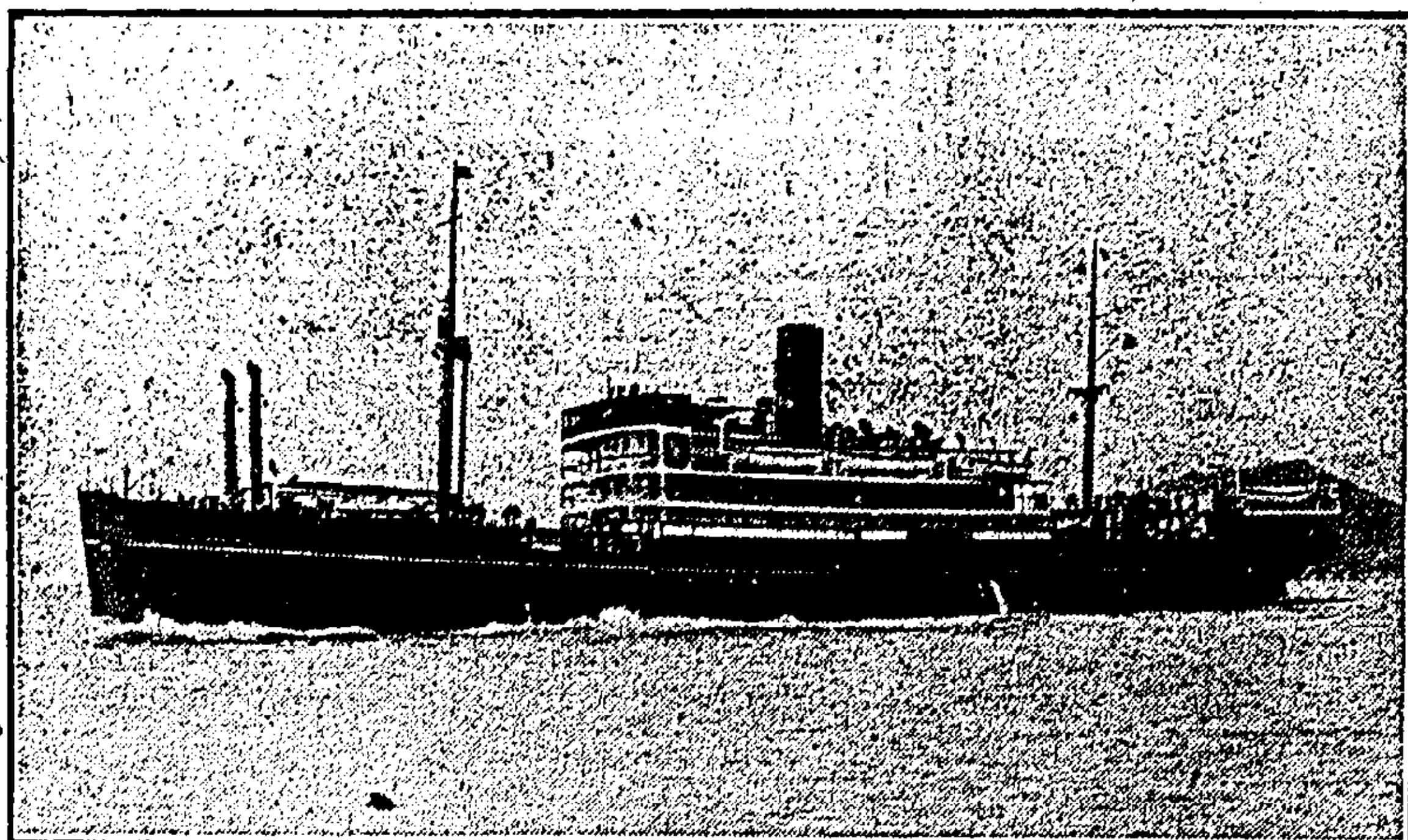
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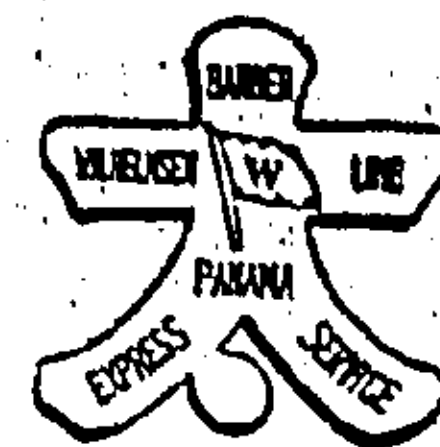


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### WHAT ENGLAND IS TOLD.

NONSENSICAL STORY OF THE  
MUI-TSAI SYSTEM.

"SLAVERY" AGAIN.

Amazing stories, mostly based on imagination and a distortion of the facts, appear from time to time in the London newspapers regarding the mui-tsai system in Hongkong. The latest to come to our notice is the following from *The People's* correspondent in Hongkong. It appears in the paper named of September 7th last:

I have recently made a thorough investigation of the mui-tsai (slave girl) traffic in the British colony and find the system organized and scandalous.

It is not an underground traffic fearing and fleeing from the law, but an open Government-approved form of slavery, legalised, police-protected and horrible.

I have interviewed many slave-girls between the ages of twelve and twenty years and all complain of ill-treatment and lack of food. None of them receives any wages, and some complain of a life made unbearable by their appalling experiences.

Yet Hongkong is a Crown Colony, an integral part of Britain's overseas possessions with British police and British law courts.

The courts have held that the lawful guardian of a mui-tsai is the owner or mistress, and the Government has adopted a system of registration to determine such ownership.

What can be done to prevent such a terrible state of affairs? China has always practised slavery, for the Chinese regard moral standards from an entirely different angle to ourselves.

Throughout China are markets where girls from babyhood onwards are openly sold by parents whose poverty forbids the feeding of an extra mouth.

### CHINA'S DEFAULT IN LOAN OBLIGATIONS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

enforcement of a budgetary system, which has long awaited execution but which it has been impossible to put into effect due to the regional unruliness of the warlords and constant revolts against Nanking. With these ended, a budget system will be enforced. The unification of national currency and the abolition of local, or regional taxes, will be carried out as soon as possible.

Revision Needed.

"The creation of an efficient government means defined responsibilities for officials, while the supervision and impeachment of officials guilty of corruption will be vigorously enforced.

"Industrial development means that we must procure, upon an honorable basis, foreign capital, thereby bringing about economic expansion. However, such capital should be confined to developing the nation's basic industries in accordance with the party's reconstruction programme.

"Regarding local autonomy, upon its achievement depends our ability to establish a democratic form of government. These tasks await immediate realization if the Nationalist government is to continue to live."

A scheme is being submitted to the New Zealand Cabinet for the provision of steam stand-by plants throughout the country, in order to be prepared for possible future failures of the larger hydro-electric schemes.

### BRITISH RAILWAY ENTERPRISE.

NOVEL SCHEME TO PREVENT  
ACCIDENT.

DOCK EXTENSION.

London, Oct. 22. An interesting development in railway operating methods is announced by the Great Western Railway, which proposes to equip 1,760 miles of track, embracing all its principal main line routes, and 2,000 engines with its own system of automatic train control.

The system gives audible warning to the engine-driver of the state of the signal, and, in the event of a danger signal being passed, automatically pulls up the train before it reaches the next signal.—*British Wireless*.

London, Oct. 22. Work is to begin at once on the further enlargement of the Southampton Dock extension scheme at Southampton Docks, under which some 3,500 feet of deep water quays, suitable for the accommodation of vessels of forty foot draft, together with cranes, sheds, railways and all modern accessories, are to be constructed, at an estimated cost of £3,000,000. The work will take about five years to complete.

The Government has agreed to give financial help under the Development Loans guarantees and Grants Act. The Scheme also includes the reclamation of about two hundred acres of mudland.—*British Wireless*.

### THE KINGSHIP OF CHRIST.

FEAST TO BE OBSERVED ON  
SUNDAY.

On next Sunday, October 26th, the Feast of the Kingship of Christ will be celebrated in the Catholic Cathedral, Caine Road. There will be Pontifical High Mass, in the morning at 8 a.m. and in the evening beginning at 4 p.m. Rosary, Procession of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction in the open, Sermon on the Feast of the day, preached by the Rev. Fr. Gallagher, S. J. followed by Solemn Benediction in the Cathedral.

The Feast of the Kingship of Christ was established a few years ago by our His Holiness Pope Pius XI. to recall to the minds of men that no matter what kingdoms may come and go, there is One King of whose Kingdom there shall be no end.

The appeal of the Holy Father may be summarised as follows:—"It has been tried by natural means, by natural ideals, but tried in vain, to solve the world's problems by organisations, conferences, formulae and compromises. These ways have failed because the roots of the world's unrest lie far deeper. If we wish to succeed, we must get right down to the heart, to the soul of man. We must put before those hearts an Ideal, not merely to guide and strengthen them in the ordering of their own individual lives, but to direct them in the great questions which are agitating the world. That great Ideal is Christ. We must get back to Christ. Let us, therefore, openly hail Him as our King. Let us be led by His principles, animated with His spirit. Christ must, the Holy Father tells us, reign in each human heart, in each human family, in the nations and in the world. With His Kingdom thus established there will be room for conferences, but until Christ holds sway there can be no hope of a lasting peace.

"Sunday's Feast will be the public acknowledgement of the Sovereignty of Christ. Let us, however, not be content with a great public manifestation of our loyalty, but by consecrating our individual selves and our families to Him, by our efforts to make His Kingdom

### NEW CONSTITUTION IN EGYPT.

MODIFICATION OF POPULAR  
REPRESENTATION.

A SMALLER CHAMBER.

Cairo, Oct. 22. King Fuad has signed the new Constitution and Electoral Law drawn up by the Provisional Cabinet.

The Cabinet, in the course of a Report on these enactments, recommends that the Chamber of Deputies shall consist of one hundred and fifty instead of 235 members, and that three-fifths of the members of the Senate be appointed and the remaining two-fifths elected.

It is also recommended that each Parliamentary Session shall be for a period of five months instead of six months.

Parliamentary immunity is to be raised in the case of libel and lese majeste.

Voters must be 25 years of age. Neither the Senate nor the Chamber will be empowered to initiate financial laws.

The King is to appoint Moslem religious chiefs.

Press laws are to be tightened up. The election of Parliament will be by a two-degree suffrage system, under which every fifty electors will be represented by an elector-delegate. The elector-delegates, sitting as an Electoral College, will elect all Deputies.—*Reuter*.

### SESSIONS TRIAL CONTINUES.

PRISONER DECLARES HE IS  
FALSELY ACCUSED.

The Pilem Street case was continued before Mr. Justice Jacks at the Criminal Sessions this morning, when the third accused, Wong Kei-fuk, continued his evidence, in which he denied the charge of assaulting three other men with intent to do them grievous bodily harm.

Accused said that one of the complainants named Wong was trying to get him into trouble. On one occasion he succeeded in getting accused charged with stabbing a blind man, but he was discharged after a hearing in the Police Court. He denied he had threatened another complainant, Cheung, to make him give up his job, and alleged that all the complainants were bad characters. The whole story, he said, was a fabrication in order to get him sent to gaol or banished.

He contended that at the time of the alleged attack he was not at the scene but was working on a motor car hood at another street in Yaumati.

Mr. Somerset Fitzroy, for the Crown, pointed out, in cross-examination, that, when charged, accused had said he was not in Kowloon at all and now he said that he was in Yaumati.

Accused explained that a young apprentice was working with him at the time and expressed a wish to call him as a witness.

While this witness was being found, a woman in Court, who is the wife of first accused, was called to give evidence by Wong Kei-fuk, her husband offering no objection. She stated that on the evening in question her husband went out to borrow some money but he did not return. She learnt that he had been assaulted and was in hospital.

The case is proceeding.

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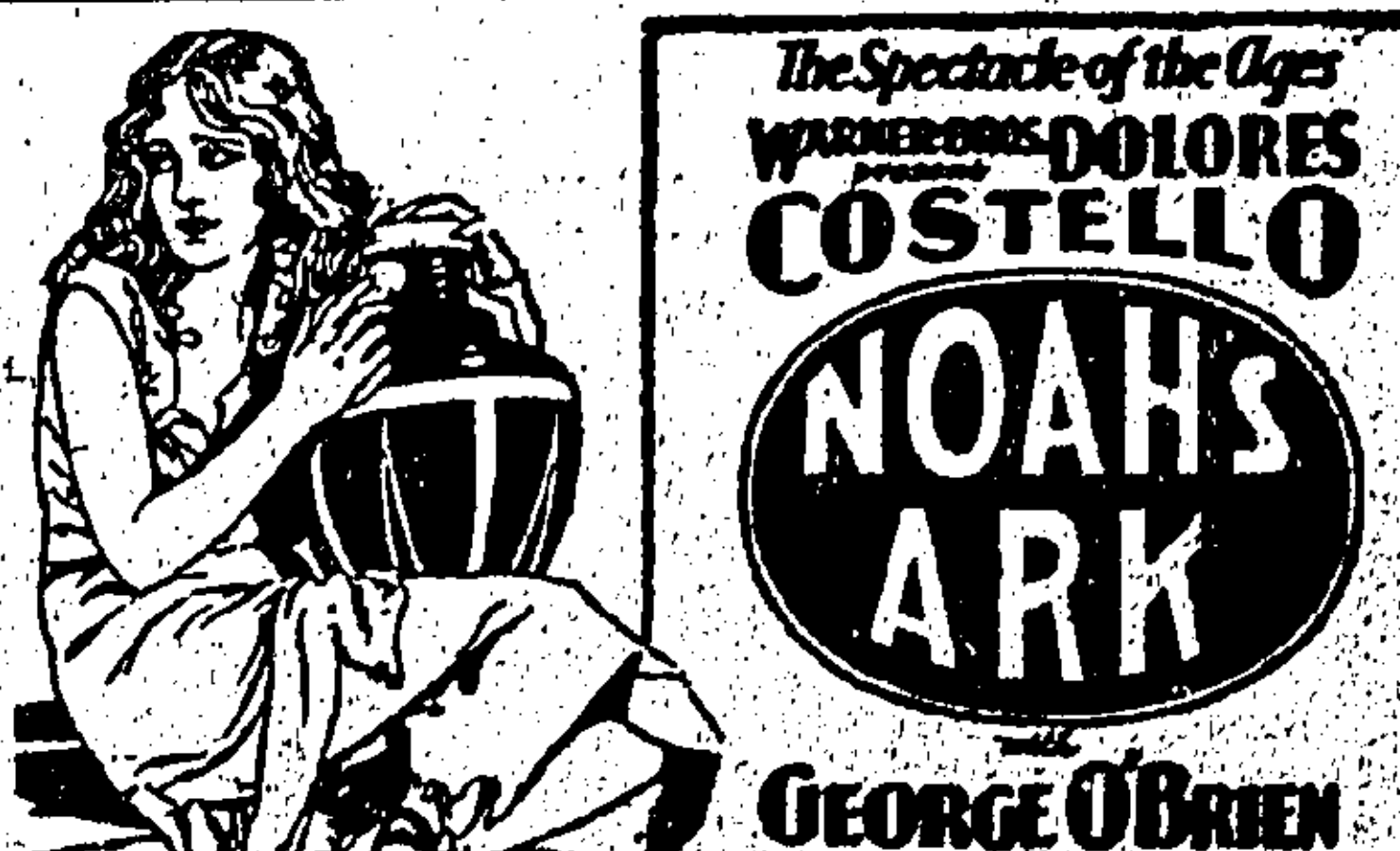


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